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TAGS: ENRG, SENV, GW

SUBJECT: DEMONSTRATORS OPPOSE CONSTRUCTION OF NUCLEAR POWER  
PLANT IN WYHL

REF: STUTTGART'S A-10 JAN 29,1975 AND A-140, NOV 15,1974  
AND BONN 01675

1. LEAD ARTICLE, FEB 20 STUTTGARTER NACHRICHTEN REPORT-  
ED ON OCCUPATION OF CONSTRUCTION AREA OF NUCLEAR  
POWER PLANT IN WYHL (ON RHINE, WEST OF FREIBURG) BY SEVERAL  
HUNDRED DEMONSTRATORS. PARTICIPANTS INCLUDED WINE-GROWERS  
IN FAMOUS WINE-PRODUCING AREA AROUND KAISERSTUHL WHO FEAR  
DETRIMENTAL EFFECT ON THEIR PRODUCT. OTHERS GENERALLY  
APPREHENSIVE ABOUT THREAT TO ENVIRONMENT.

2. OCCUPATION TOOK PLACE DESPITE FORMALLY APPROVED  
PROCEDURES FOR PLANT. BADEN-WUERTTEMBERG LAND  
GOVERNMENT IS IN AWKWARD POSITION HAVING TO REACT TO  
DEMONSTRATORS. POLICE REQUESTED THEM IN VAIN TO  
EVACUATE AREA. SOME WERE FINED INCLUDING THE FEDERAL  
CHAIRMAN OF CITIZENS' INITIATIVES, HELMUT WUESTENHAGEN.  
COMMENT: BADEN-WUERTTEMBERG LAND GOVERNMENT WOULD  
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GREATLY APPRECIATE INFORMATION THROUGH US ON QUESTIONS

RAISED IN REFERENCED AIRGRAM IN ORDER TO BE ABLE TO  
CALM DOWN CITIZENS AND REDUCE DANGER OF ESCALATION.  
MINISTER PRESIDENT DR. HANS FILBINGER IS PERSONALLY  
INTERESTED IN PREVENTING IT FROM BECOMING BIG POLITI-  
CAL ISSUE. U.S. HAS COMMERCIAL STAKE IN WHAT MAY BE  
MAJOR EXPORT OPPORTUNITY (SEE A-140). AMERICAN FIRMS  
ALREADY HAVING PARTICIPATED IN EQUIPPING B-W NUCLEAR  
POWER PLANTS CLOSE TO COMPLETION AT PHILIPPSBURG AND  
NECKAR-WESTHEIM.  
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